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THE EASTERN QUESTION. sion of imminent war in Europe.

want us to go thoroughly into the for the last sixty years, and in which matter beginning at the beginning." They know not what they ask- Europe. there has always been an Eastern into those fabulous ages where gods | powers in reference to this chronic and men mingle together in the ulcer of European politics has been strife and turmoil which is the ma- as follows: terial of history-for when Herodo- Russia has claimed a constant intus, the father of history, under-terference in the internal affairs of sian invasion of Greece, when he Christian subjects of the Turkish enquires after the

"Causa teterrima belli," does he not go back to the quarrels of Greece with Asia Minor about

Helen of Troy and with Egypt about No, we cannot go back to the beginthe antagonism of East and West is the essential antagonism of Eastern and Western ideas, the radical contrasts in ethnical character between the Aryan and Semitic families of man, and these will never cease while both races exist. These precipitated on the shores of Greece a vast wave of Persian invasion in the days of Darius and Xerxes, to be repelled in the immortal conflicts of Marathon and Thermopylæ and Salamis—these hurled back on Asia the reflux of European invasion in the days of Alexander-these precipitated on all the coasts of the Mediterranean the forces of Islam in the days of Mahomet and his followers, rendering it a doubtful question whether Greece, Italy, and Spain were to figure in History as Christian or Mahommedan powers—these again swept back the tide of invasion towards the East when all the chivalry of Europe rushed to the shores of Palestine to rescue Christs' Sepulchre from the infidels—and drove the Moors of Spain from the plains of Andalusia and Granada to the coasts of Northern Africa, main the truest representatives of the Semitic type which the revolutions of Europe and Asia have left

thirteenth century fixed the Turkish

have been enabled to conquer and Chivalry and the crusading spirit finally perished, as we have said, in the days of Ferdinand and Isabella in expelling the Arabian Moors from Spain, and in doing so expelled fined civilization in Europe; they would have done much better could | minate in war. they have left them there and their military occupation of the old Grecian empire—for a military oc- We have examined with interest cupation and nothing else it has and anxiety our Tennessee exchangbeen from the days of Othman un- es since the adjournment of the Legtil now. Anything like government islature, hoping to discover some in the European sense of the term evidences of a disposition to urge has never been there. Fortified practical efforts towards a settlement points have been occupied by mili- of our financial affairs. begins and ends all the interest that which plainly and honestly advothe Ottoman government takes in cates an upright meeting of our liresponsible to the government at Constantinople only for the amount of tribute assessed against them. Not a feature of this system differs from that of the Persian empire as described in Herodotus; the modern pacha is the ancient satrap, the difference below in the packa is the ancient satrap. The difference against the shirking policy of the Legislature lately adjourned. We add our testimony to that of the Persian empire as described in Herodotus; the modern packa is the ancient satrap, the difference against the shirking policy of the Legislature lately adjourned. We add our testimony to that of the Record in favor of the sound in spirit. "Second—The enforcement of the law rightly and impartially to the end that violence and crime shall be suppressed and promptly punished, and that peace and order prevail, and that the humblest laborer upon the soil of Louisiana throughout every parish in the State, of every color, shall receive the full and equal protection of the law rightly and impartially to the end that violence and crime shall be suppressed and promptly punished, and that peace and order prevail, and that the humblest laborer upon the soil of Louisiana throughout every parish in the State, of every color, shall receive the full and equal protection of the United States in letter and in spirit. "Second—The enforcement of the law rightly and impartially to the end that violence and crime shall be suppressed and promptly punished, and that peace and order prevail, and that the humblest laborer upon the soil of Louisiana throughout every parish in the States in letter and in spirit. "Second—The enforcement of the law rightly and impartially to the end that violence and crime shall be suppressed and promptly punished, and that peace and order prevail, and that the humblest laborer upon the soil of Louisiana throughout every parish in the States in letter and in spirit. "Second—The enforcement of the law rightly and impartially to the unit of the law rightly and impartially to the end that violence and crime occupation from its limits than it continues: did by that of the enlightened Moors | The people of the State are not in favor of of Spain—but it was not possible nor was any effort made to do it. On the contrary, in the struggles between France Spain and Germany tween France, Spain and Germany for the acquisition of territory in Italy, which immediately preceded the reformation, each of these powers at one time or another, courted the result of the state, and we still are. We have always been in favor of sustaining the credit of the State, and we still are. ers at one time or another, courted the alliance of the Sublime Porte, of their el

power in Europe and the spirit of The Record is sound and his head great, nor even then until Poland but since that was not done, he loses had been partitioned between Rus- heart; he thinks the people have sia, Austria and Prussia. Previ- been demoralized by the evil advice ously to this the extension westward of repudiating demegagues and that of the Russian empire was the dread it is hopeless to expostulate with of European powers, and there them; and this is his conclusion: brought it square against the solid Turkey, while, from the Western We are sorry to see the Examiner was looked upon as the great our wark against Russian eacroachment. It was no longer the strength of Turkey which was dreaded but her weakness—the anxious question her weakness—the anxious question was discussed all over Europe, can be designed by the support of 1878.

Tennessee, and Farrington vs. the State, for want of jurisdiction, was denied by the Supreme Court of the United States at Washington City. These cases involve the right of the State, county and city to tax the S was discussed all over Europe, can visers and by the summer of 1878 stockholders in the Memphis City the Ottoman empire hold out against with a heavy deficit staring them Fire and General Insurance Compa the colossal pressure of her powerful in the face, will begin to think there is another side to the question.

Northern neighbor, or was Constan-Northern neighbor, or was Constan- is another side to the question.

Hernando, Blun City & Washington The New Orleans Playand Systems of the Companies, beyond ton Insurance Companies, beyond Louisiana has nothing to offer and tinople, the golden gate of the Bos- Our next exchange is the Dyers- the one-half of one per cent., which, nothing to ask. She will sustain timople, the golden gate of the Bostone her capital from which she was to issue her edicts, not only to the ancient kingdoms not only to the ancient kingdoms not only to the ancient kingdoms of this paper we perceive so not only to the ancient kingdoms not only to the rain pattering down on the list. In the Pourth the Administration so far as the ancient kingdom not only to the rain pattering down on the list. In the Administration sustains her; but he Administration sustains her; but he

hensions were all held in abeyance during the French revolution and the Napoleonic wars, all the powers, Russia hereself included, having more pressing business to attend to, rs some information in reference to object of solicitude to all European question from this time assumed and those who desire to be informed | precisely the form it has presented it is now threatening the peace of

Allowing for hot and cold fits, for juestion in Europe; before history periods of quiesence and exacerbabegan there was one dating back tion, the position of the various

Turkey has furnished constant excuses for this intervention through the ferocious zealotry of the Mohammedan population, and when the intervention has threatened the independence or the integrity of the ning of things, for the real cause of empire, she has always fallen back upon the support of the other Eupean powers, viz. England, France, Austria and Prussia; which powers have always intervened when the emergency has been pressing, lest the final dissolution of the Ottoman empire should contribute too largely to Russian aggrandizement.

The other four powers on the other hand persistently protested against the exclusive protectorate of the Turkish Christians, claimed by Russia, and several treaties have been signed by all the parties concerned, by which it has been conceded by both Turkey and Russia that a joint protectorate of the four powers in concert with Russia shall be exercised instead of the exclusive Russian protectorate.

admixture. And this would have expelled from Europe all the matedon, Paris, Berlin and Vienna.

rials for an Eastern question, and thrown it back far into the interior of Asia, but that, on the South-eastthe present week; our account will ern confines of Europe, the conquests of Othman and his Osmanli in the same subject, as follows:

Mahomedans permanently at Constantinople, surrounded by such conmests of neighboring States as they has become the leading idea in European politics, viz. First, The revolt of the Greek

Second, The revolt of Egypt.

Third, The Crimean war.

driven the barbarous Turks from THE PRESSONTHE STATE CREDIT.

drawn from them, and in tribute | ticle from a Columbia contemporary them; petty chieftains are allowed abilities, and we hall with gladness to rule the tributary populations, the protest of our neighbor of the responsible to the government at Dover Record against the shirking ference being in name only. Europe shoulder with our own C. G. Smith, we say would have gained much stemmed manfully the tide of repumore by the expulsion of this armed diation and dishonor. The Record

And so Turkey was established as a anxious to accept it.

vere struggles with the German em- next journal; this paper has thus far pire, at one time threatening Vienna | been staunchly in favor of sustainwhich commenced under Peter the | with the bondholders compromise, was one period in the days of We had an honest impulse a few years ago

the territory of the old Greek em- diation would be very little worse. Its comment on the 10 cent. tax law These questions and these apprewhich it highly favors is as follows: ject from the New York Herald. It
needs to be much under the second of the second of

> .He also contends for the current sentation, as we believe of their real | wardly digest: sentiments. He concludes thus:

of compromise at more than 50 cents on the oliar, for these reasons: 1st,—because the ebt is, in part, unjust.—2nd, because that is ore than the market value of the bonds.

1.—because it was created without their onsent, 4th, because they are not able to a solution to a with These and they are they are not able to

we now repel in earnest: The CHRONICLE is spoken of as a "bondin bonds who are making such a hue and cry about the matter." paper is in no way interested in onds nor is it the organ of bondholders; it is the organ of none but terest that the people are, in its columns, uniformly counselled to cherish jealously the credit of their State he is misrepresenting men as honest friends of the people of Tennessee.

AUSTRIA IN THE SCRAPE.

Itseems that the Austrian governmuch averse to any intervention at a large army there for an indefinite scheming politician. all, whether exerted by Russia period, with the constant tendency alone, or in concert with the other to become embroiled in the strife—to become embroiled in the strife—respecting the Speakership or that tion, whatever the other matters of war, to secure its neutrality. The self aloof from ing attention in the cabinets of Lon- hand, are resolved to resist this oc- the Republican candidate; and this And this general statement of the can hardly help arising. At the out-leader in the house. All the indi-to double the preaching and pastoral necessity seemed imminent, but the Mr. Randall by the Democratic Our second paper (next week) will | they were less interested than Aus- | Speaker. give a brief sketch of the three great tria, enabled the latter State to caroccasions when the Eastern question ry out her purposes by other people's fighting.

This game of cat's paw cannot be EDITORS CHEONICLE-That gen- and since she built her camp. Ad-

LOUISIANA,

"As an earnest of our endeavors, we here y solemnly declare that it is and will be he purpose of the government of the State First—To accept in good faith the Thir-nth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth amendand equal protection of the laws in person, property and political rights and priveliges. "Taird—To the promotion of the kindly relations between the white and colored citzens of the State, upon a basis of justice and mutual confidence.

"Fourth—The clucation of all classes of the people being essential to the preservation of free institutions, we do declare our release purpose to maintain a system of

and anxious that the citizens of all poli honestly restoring the prosperity of honestly restoring the prosperity of ulsiana, the Nicholls government will dis-untenance any attempted persecution on any quarter of individuals for past poouisiana, the Nicholls government will discountenance any attempted persecution rom any quarter of individuals for past political conduct."

Carolina will soon regain the proud position she once occupied, and her influence be felt in the councils of That rises gracefully o'er the wave, I've seen that breast with pity heave, And therefore love I you, sweet Gene

have been the policy of the Nicholls | the Nation as of yore. government without any resolutions I had the pleasure recently of

FROM NEW PROVIDENCE.

New clothes! Old things done

We clip the following on this sub-Compelled to pay only a 10 cent. tax for is the more impressive as coming general purposes pending at compromise, it is not improvable that the people can hold out as long as the bondholders. party. We hardly think there are

topic of discussion and speculation

live chances of Mr. Garfield, Mr. probably be nominated by the Reagainst this paper which we have tion that any one of the number your prosperity continue! hitherto treated jocularly, but which | would vote for Garfield or any Re-The election of Speaker is a party question pure and simple. There is and brand all the participants as as himself and, as we believe, better policy is the result of an intriguing coalition with his political oppo-

> ing the troops from that State. If s to influence work among her people. During mark of honor will give him pres-

FROM SOUTH CAROLINA.

ly declines participation, Germany little telephone, and it whispered a noble part, though they have no enced in fashion, repasts, entertainstands aloof, contented with de- that it was about time to renew if I camps; but it must be remembered manding the neutrality of Rouma- wanted the Chronicle to continue that these are appointments in Ce- These are matters that we are dis-Finally our third paper will be nia, and England resolutely holds its weekly visits. As I cannot well dar Hill charge. Allensville, Ky., occupied with the transactions back refusing any pledge to take a afford to do without it, I send \$2.00 if not "the noblest Roman of them all there was of art science and re- which have led to the present com- hand unless her own interests are to set my name up one year more all," comes in for her share of praise. plications, so soon apparently to culclearly threatened. So Austria will on your books from expiration of The truth is I feel like they are akin multiplying synonyms, young naval have to do her own fighting this last subscription. This is the day to us. of days for long suffering, down Last Tuesday, in company with a trodden South Carolina, as at twelve rare traveling companion, I called ton, though happily in a milder o'clock M. the military are ordered on Rev. Benj. F. Haynes and his There can be no doubt that as to move out of the State House, and excellent lady at the parsonage near influence of fashion and manners the commission from Louisiana re- with it the rule of the stranger and Asbury Church, Montgomery cir- have always left a deep impress on turns to Washington, the precedent thief will cease. I had the pleasure cuit. Brother H. seems perfectly of South Carolina will be applied to of being one of several hundred that at home in his new field, and there do to treat as unworthy of considethat State and troops removed. No accompanied our noble Governor is an air of consecration and satisconditions have been made or ex- Hampton from this place to Colum- faction so manifest in the bearing bustles, the number of courses at tapoints have been occupied by mili-tary pachas, and tribute thereby On another page we print an arthe following resolutions have been There has never been anything to Jesus' sake" would be a fitting motto terial or ceremonial at the national equal the demonstration made and to suspend upon their walls. I am reception given him. From Char- glad to learn that the good people lotte, N. C., to Columbia it was a of Asbury appreciate these worthy regular gala day for the people along servant of God. Kind words and the entire line of railroad between kind deeds to a stranger in a strange the two places, and the culmination land brings God and the parties was reached upon arrival at the concerned in close proximity. The Capital, where the whole city had eye of Samuel T, Coleridge was pierturned out en masse to welcome eing indeed or he could never have South Carolina's favorite son and found the sparkling jewel of his and chosen ruler. Garlands of loved Genevieve amid so much flowers, triumphant arches of ever- beauty and gracefulness. But no greens, the booming of cannon, with | more would they compare with the | has been agreed upon and approved | lively strains of music by the bands, heavenly gem contained in the all combined to make the occasion swan-like bosom than would the mander Butler: one long to be remembered by those | mild taper with the full-orbed sun. who witnessed it. New life seems I can't resist the temptation to give to have been infused into everyone it: and business is already reviving under the genial influence of home rule and honest government for our 'Maid of my love, sweet Genevieve, In beauty's light you glide along; Your eye is like a star of eve, And sweet your volce asseraph's song. Yet not your heavenly beauty gives State. All are confident that under Hampton's administration South

Though this power had some se- The Gallatin Examiner is the at all, so that the constitutional ac- meeting, and also of hearing an able | zagged until | well night night-fall, tion of the President in removing and interesting sermon preached by my rare companion relieving the tethe troops is, as it ought to be un- Rev. Luther Wilson, whom many dium of the drive by a Mark Twain- dress parade, at which time there conditional. It is true that the of your readers will remember as ish style smartly chastened by the will be awarded a premium to the derating interest until after the rap- despondent; he thinks the Legisla- question was once put in the name | Chaplain of the old 14th Tennessee | grace of God. If Mark was a conid growth of the Russian empire, ture ought to have closed promptly of the commission, whether they Regiment in Virginia. He is now secrated man (who knows to the would elect Packard to the Senate, located at Yorksville in this State as contrary?) he could find a Jonathan but the ominous silence with which Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, in my rare companion. We spend this question was received soon and is much beloved and respected the night at Genoa. Kind friends caused its withdrawal—it should by his charge and all who know and heart-felt hospitality render us never have been asked; it was the him. I find many Tennesseans oblivious to all without. What one blunder of the commission. The scattered about over this State, and young Christopher of this modern was one period in the days of assembled, to the number of 83, now have the opportunity of amendtwo great military powers of Europe, and no further fear of her extension in that direction was apprehended;
Russian aggression was now directed Southward and South westward, and so became a standing menace to Russian aggression was now directed.

We have in the suggestion of the s point of view, European Turkey throw up the sponge so hopelessly as benefits are to be for the honest, that and hope that he will yet see that that and hope that he will yet see that the trough such a region and find.

The motion to dismiss the cases of Napoleon Hill et als. vs. State of Tennessee, and Farrington vs. the long conversed. Wishing the

The New Orleans Picayune says:

Peace within your borders and pros- certainty as to the time when an ex- dressed to the army, to the Nation identified with the Democratic perity within your palaces. But tra session of Congress will be called, and to Europe, will start simultant say, while "all the world and the The Secretary of War said yesterday rest of mankind" are rejoicing over that if the Louisiana difficulty could time. His majesty reaches Kische value of the bonds as a basis for nego-any among our readers who need the bright and sparkling tokens of be satisfactorily ended before that neff on Monday. On that day or but scarcely was the imperial eagle to bring down that value to zero by the Louisiana to bring down that value to zero by the Louisiana to bring down that value to zero by the Louisiana to bring down that value to zero by the Louisiana to bring down that value to zero by the Louisiana to bring down that value to zero by the Louisiana to be satisfied by the control of the next, the Czar will issue a manof France caged in his island prison at St. Helena when they became, as at St. Helena when they became We are requested to give our readthey have been ever since, a leading to pay anything; a gross misreprethem read, mark, learn and inlast calls, and fair warnings as if the
last calls, and fair warnings as if the
and a very uncertain quantity it is. ship was about to sink, and behold, The Commission it is understood nople. This is the exact programme The extra session makes the or- here they come dressed from head have about ended their missions, ganization of the new Congress a to foot in a new suit. Is that what negotiations, labors, or perhaps earlier than is usual. Nothing could you call hard times? Then come meddling is a more definite term be more stupid than the notions put hard times, and let your friendly for all that they have done or could hard times, and adds: forth by a portion of the Republican foot-steps fall across my threshhold." do in that distracted State. There "Russia seems detertermined to press which is weighing the respective Next to an itinerant, a newspaper is is much anxiety among southerners avoid a real declaration of war. Her Foster and General Banks, as if proudest of its new clothes. A in the city to know the purport of a defensive, but in Asia it is believed The only other paper we have at there were chances of the election of happy coincident—on the very day long dispatch in cipher sent by the she will commence hostilities, at the present to notice is the Shelbyville a Republican Speaker. According that you don your new suit our old Commissioners to the President. It latest, at the end of next week. to our estimate Mr. Garfield will friend Boillin, on the square, will is the first dispatch of any conse-And there is not much to notice publican caucus; but neither he nor hand over to your humble servant quence that the President has rein it, for it consists of the old com- any other Republican will be elect- a handsome suit with the complicely from that source. It came warning to the people of the South mon places we have so often dealt ed. Yet it is given out in some ments of a kind-hearted lady friend directly to the executive mansion eternal vigilance must be the price tus, the father of history, under-takes to elucidate the great Eastern Turkey on the pretext of her selfquestion of his day, the recent Per- constituted office as protector of the paying only the current value, and of believe he is too clear-sighted to sings of heaven rest upon her house- there in a private room. The Pres- them see to it that demoralization putting that down as low as possible hope anything of the sort. He may hold, and on those who have ena- ident up to a late hour last night does not follow success, and that

I found in the Cedar Hill commuters now seem to be in the condition serpents will still hang about our publican for Speaker is preposterous. nity a strong opposition to services of the river described by Cæsar, "of being held during the approaching such incredible placidity that it is holding interest advocate," and it is no justification which a Democratic camp meeting season. Cedar Hill impossible to discern with the eyes said that "it is only those interested | member could offer to his constitu- camp ground has, in a great meas- in which direction it flows." The ents for voting for a Republican ure, failed to meet the object con- letter of Blaine created a little sencandidate for Speaker. There are other questions on which Democrats for as moves and seconds result. Such charges are consistent with may support Hayes. His Southern far as moves and seconds, resolufrom his long silence, that he had neither sense, truth nor honesty; this policy is a milder type of the Democratic policy on the same subject, "Clarksville district camp ground;" | Presidents policy. When he made and no Democrat should hesitate to but essentially and practically it is his defiant speech in the Senate, uphold the President against his radical assailants. But to vote for the people, and it is in their own in- his candidate for Speaker would be are nine camps-Cedar Hill, six; championship of Packard and Chama different thing. It would be an Turnersville, in Cedar Hill circuit, berlain, nearly all his friends deinexcusable desertion from the one; Springfield, one, and Clarks- plored his action as rash and ill ad-Democratic ranks. It would stamp ville one. Of the fourteen pastoral vised. But there is as little equivgovernment; and when the journal parties to a discreditable bargain, charges in Clarksville district there ocation in the blast which he sounds n question represents it otherwise It would be as injurious to Mr. are only three owning camps, Ce- through the Boston Herald as there Hayes as to the recreant Democrats | dar Hill owning seven-ninths. Al- was in his speech when he called to have it supposed that his Southern though the grace of liberality upon heaven to wither his hand and abounds among these generous and paralyze his tongue in case he denents. The strength and dignity of self-sacrificing people, yet it is un- serted his Republican friends in the his position lie in the idea that it reasonable that they should support South. The indications are that he has been taken from a simple, dis-has been taken from a simple, dis-a camp ground accessible to a whole intends to make war upon the Presinterested sense of justice. The moment it is degraded in public district of country by two different district of country by two different dient's southern policy, if he has to ment will certainly be involved in estimation into a trading intrigue railroads. And while they have do it single-handed and alone. All such treaties however have a the war now imminent in Europe— for political support in the House, the cause of God as much at heart as There has been much gossip recently tendency to become inoperative for two reasons.

There has been much gossip recently any people that I know, it is mading the protection of her South-eastern frontier alone, with war raging all frontier alone, with war raging all said to hedge a king, will vanish, said to hedge a king, will vanish to hedge a king, will vanish to hedge a king, will vanish to hedge First, Turkey herself is very around it, will compel her to keep and he will be regarded as a vulgar, offer upon the solitary altar greater by which they should naturally opsacrifices than their annual church pose, one in the Senate and the other expenses. The district has not met | in the House, the President's policy. respecting the Speakership or that the expectation of the people of Ce- But it is not at all probable that any four powers, and she only becomes but Austria has interests even be- he is a party to any bargain for dar Hill, nor complied with the such arrangement has ever been finally, as the last effort of expiring willing to submit to the joint protection originating willing to submit to the joint protection originating thought of by these gentlemen, and torate when that of Russsia threat- neglect; the formation of a Sclavonic Louisiana at the price of withdraw- the camp ground; and it would be it is impossible that such a combiens her with imminent danger; and confederacy in that part of Europe, he should act from any other motive infinitely better for Cedar Hill, with nation could end in anything but Second, The four powers, except is a contingency she has long conthan a sense of right and regard for her large population, to add her futility, even if it were attempted. on special emergencies are occupied with other matters, while Russia always finds time to give the internal ways finds time to give the internal ways finds time to give the internal country. The election of Speaker is no proper business of his, and we is no proper business of his and regard to his Constitutional obligations, he would forfeit the confidence of the country. The election of Speaker is no proper business of his, and we is no proper business of his and regard to his Constitutional obligations, he would forfeit the confidence of the support, and thereby increase the time of the properties are occupied.

affairs of Turkey her special atten- intention to occupy Bosnia in case are persuaded that he will hold him! amount of preaching and pastoral society have all abdicated. The may be which for the time are claim- people of that province on the other it. Mr. Garfield will probably be one week they expend enough to and their brilliant satellites and support a pastor and his family one cupation and insoluble complications tige and influence as the Republican year. If by this means they were in the thin unwholesome stuff that question must suffice our readers for break of the Crimean war a similar cations point to the nomination of work it would be seed sown in good city journals, and the average corcaucus, and nothing is more certain ground. I record with pleasure the respondent has not yet been able to require two other articles upon the precipitancy of France and England than that the candidate of the liberality and zest with which adapt himself to the new order of in rushing into a contest, in which Democratic caucus will be the next Clarksville has complied with the things, or rather, the new order of spirit of the work. Her offerings things is not clearly defined. Mrs. then are doubtless accepted of God, Hayes and her cabinet seem as little and her reward is sure. Springfield has done a great deal both before played this time; France absolute- the hint caused me to consult my am's Station and Salem have borne What reforms will be silently influ-

Leaving the parsonage we zig-

but rain, rare companion, and miscuse. We dine with cherished "Music of the rain pattering down On the glass and window pane"

composed the society column of the disposed as the sterner half of the administration to be content with mere imitation of the old regime. ments, etc., are not yet apparent. posed to treat as frivolous and unworthy the consideration of any but officers. But when we remember that Paris is France, and Washingsense, America, and that the subtile national life and history, it will not

Knights Templar.

The Knights Templar of Memphis | mestic 10 cents, Cash. are actively engaged in making the necessary arrangements and pre- Cash. parations for the entertainment of the Grand Commandery of the State, which will hold its annual conclave in that city commencing Cash. May 3d. The following programme by Right Eminent Grand Com- 10 cents, Cash.

Thursday, May 3, at 9.30 A. M., ing 81 cents, Cash. the various Commanderies will assemble at headquarters for the purpose of escorting the Grand Com- 71 cents, Cash. mandery to church. 10 A. M., Templar service, Rev.

Sir Geo. White, Grand Chaplain, 11 A. M., the lines will reform and proceed to the hall, when the Grand Commandery will be opened in am- Casa. 8.30 P. M., entertainment compli-

mentary to the Grand Commandery, at Peabody Hotel, entertainment Cash. onsisting of banquet and ball. Friday, May 4, at 9.30 A. M., the Frand Commandery will assemble. 3.30 P. M., competitive drill and best drilled Commandery, Memphis Commanderie-not competing.

Roster of the Next House. The Clerk of the House of Repre-

entatives has transmited to the Treasurer of the United States the names of 267 members of the next House of Representatives as being sending the commission at all was am proud to say that I have only Genoa will launch his bark upon an entitled to pay. This leaves twenty bosom, extra bargain, \$1 25, the blunder of the President; in all found one who has disgraced the unknown sea I am unable to tell; six names yet to be enrolled, but other respects his action in Louisis name of his native State by herding but of one thing I am fully persua- many of these are omitted because of inadvertance or neglect to send their certificates. Among these are Felton, of Georgia, Caldwell and Carlisle, of Kentucky; Jones, of New Hampshire; Hewitt, of New York; and Bouck, of Wisconsin Best Peppl. Drilled Draw-ers, as 75 cents, Cash. (Democrat); and Price, of Iowa; Lindsey, of Maine; Crapo and But- 3 for \$1 00, Cash. ler, of Massachusetts; March and Blair, of New Hampshire; and Williams, of Oregon (Republicans), READY-MADE CLOTHselect to do, for there will be no mercy shown to thieves under the through the region so completely who are unquestionably elected to their seats. According to this list, administration of Hampton. The chronicled for the past year or two the Clerk figures up a Democratic THE motion to dismiss the cases benefits are to be for the honest, by the versatile pen of I. D. A. majority of twelve to fifteen at the organization. He makes no return from either First or Fourth Districts of California, from Colorado, the Fourth or Sixth Districts of Louisi- M C. PITMAN. ana, or the Third District of Missouerable personeel must be my ex- ri, in all of which there are contests. He reports on R. H. M. Davidson, Democrat, from the First District friends, and the afternoon is spent of Florida (Purman's District,) but in pleasant pastime by some while makes no return from the Second others enjoy "tired nature's sweet restorer, balmy sleep." As the three negroes from South Caro the three negroes from South Carolina, are on the list. In the Fourth

Latest from Eastern Europe.

A Paris correspondent to the Lon-WASHINGTON, D. C., April 13th, ously with the Emperor, and arrive at their destinations at the sam given in a letter from St. Petersburg.

CONFIRMATION FROM VIENNA. A Vienna special confirms the

party discipline does not give way and since the election, political mat- been dragged from our throats the

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

I have this day, April 18, 1877, sugges he insolvency of H. P. Dorris, deceas all creditors are notified to file their clain uly anthenticated, with the Clerk of Jounty Court, on or before October 18, 19 r be forever barred. WM. H. DORRIS, apr21-4w Administrato

Sale of Land.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed me on the 1st day of February, 1875, by Dav Dick, to secure the judgment of \$500 at interest now due to G. M. Pardue, at directing the payment of \$500 and intere-due to John W. Hale, secured by a pri-mortgage, I will, on the

19th day of May, 1877, at the Court House in Clarksville, sell a public auction to the highest bidder, a tracof land lying in District No. 2 of Montgon ery county, bounded as follows:

Begins at a stake corner to B. Hackney tract, runs South 1° 15′ West 218 poles; the North 88° West 75 poles to an old stump then North 58 poles to a poplar; then North 88°, West 15½ poles to a rock; then South 1½ W 46 poles to a stone; then North 1° Ea 33 poles to a stake; then East 9 poles to a stake; then North 1½° East 165½ poles to a stake; then North 185½—187½ poles to a sh; then North 185½—187½ poles to the ginning. reginning.
TERMS—Cash sufficient to pay the deferent's debts and interest and the costs executing the trust, the remainder on credit of one and two years. For the ed payments a lien will be J. E. BAILEY,

I will offer for sale, at the store on Frank-Saturday, April 21, 1877,

all the stock of the late firm of H. P. Do Stoves, Grates, Tin Ware, &c., 1 pair 700 lb. Scales, 1 Spring Wagon and Harness. 1 set Machines, Tools, Patterns, &c. W. H. DORRIS

Surviving Partner and Adm'r. April 14, 1877-2w. F. COULTER & BRO.' NEW rice-List

FOR NEW

Lonsdale 4-4 Bleached domestic 11 cents, Cash. Fruit Loom 4-4 Bleached Domestics 11 cents, Cash.

Domestic 13\forall cents, Cash. Harris' Gold Coin 4-4 Do-Londsdale Cambric 15 cts,

Best 10-4 Bleached Sheeting 31, 33, 36½ cents, Cash. Best Corded Pique 10 cts,

Best Heavy Brown Drill Super 4-4 Sea Island Shirt-

Best Calicos, choice styles Hemp Carpeting 18 cents, WHITE Cash.

Extra Super Carpeting, best goods, low prices for Hemstiched Handkerchiefs

worth 50 cents at 25 cents. YARMOUTH SUGAR CORN, Good Linen Handkerchiefs PER DOZEN, at 75 cents Cash.

Black Alpacas, 25, 30, 36, 40, 42, 48 and 54 cents, Cash.

Gents' Goods Unlaundried Shirts, com-

plete, \$1 15, Cash. Laundried Shirts, linen New Patent, shield bosom,

very durable, \$1 871, Cash. Gents' Good Undershirts Bargains in NEW-STYLE

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PITMAN & LEWIS, Dealers in CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

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We are now ready and have in store a very large assortment of Spring Goods, consisting of

DRY GOODS! Ready-Made Clothing, by slurring our own credit. However there is one charge repeated no doubt rely on the support of Democrats in his and best." Long may the tide of Though the bloodhounds will have the excitement preceding the contents public. After the excitement preceding the contents public. Though the bloodhounds will have the contents public. Though the bloodhounds will have the excitement preceding the contents public. Though the bloodhounds will have the contents public. Though the bloodhounds will have the excitement preceding the contents public. Though the bloodhounds will have the contents public.

NOTIONS, TRUNKS AND VALISES, &c., &c.

We will sell all leading brands in Bleached and Brown Domestics at New York factory prices, such as Lonsdale, Fruit of the Loom, Wamsutta, etc., etc. Best Calicos, choice styles, always on hand.

Suits, and can fit anybody. Suits from \$4 00 up to \$50 00!

Our Ready-Made Clothing Department is immense.

We keep a very large stock in Men's, Youths' and Boys'

We keep an extra assortment of fine Cloth Coats, fine Black Silk and White Vests, and Black Doeskin Pants, for wedding purposes.

Also a large stock in Piece Goods, Black Cloths, Black and Fancy Cassimeres, Cottonades and Jeans, Our Gents' Furnishing Goods is complete. We have Laundried and Unlaundried Shirts by the dozen. Gents' Linen Collars; an extra large assortment in half hose. Ladies' Fancy Neckties, Ladies' Silk Handkerchiefs, Collars and Cuffs Ladies' Fishues, Ladies' Lace Fishues, Ruchings. We have a very large stock of Hamburg Edgings and Insertings, which we bought at a late bankrupt sale in New York, which we will sell at astonishingly low prices. We also have a large assortment in Ladies' and Gents' Kid Gloves, all shades, colors and sizes. We offer to the trade a Black Kid Glove for ladies for the exceedingly low price of 50 cents. An immense stock of White Goods, Victoria and Bishop Lawn, Jackonets and Swiss, very low. A fine assortment in Silk Parasols. Our own make in Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, Goat and Kid, always on hand. Buying for several of my houses in very large quantities for cash exclusively, I can sell cheaper than any other house this side of Cincinnati. Give me a call, is all I ask, and I assure the citizens of Clarksville, Montgomery and adjoining counties that I will do what I say. Don't forget the place-Lieber's Trade Palace-and call before buying elsewhere. New Goods received daily per express.

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Wamsutta 44 Bleached Devilled Ham, Devilled Turkey,

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HEATH PEACHES.

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PINE APPLES, SAUCES,

PICKLES,

OLD JAVA COFFEE.

FINE TEAS, Laundry and Toilet Soaps,

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Extra Quality New Orleans Molasses,

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Corner of First and Fran lir Streets. March 10, 1877-tf